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For all the Latest Styles of NOBBY STIFF HATS and all grades of SOFT HATS.

CHILDREN'S HATS and TURBAN CAPS, all Styles.

Choice line of FLAT SCARFS—the best to be found in the city, for 50 cents each.

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Well improved and in fine state of cultivation,

One Mile East of Cerro Gordo,

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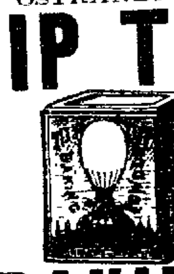

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Aug. 31, 1882 d&wy

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that open bids will be received by the undersigned, commissioners and committee of highways of the town of Long Creek, Macon county, State of Illinois, on the tenth day of October, A. D. 1882, at two o'clock P. M., for the construction and repair of the grade and trestle work on the State road east of Decatur. The trestle work will be let by the thousand and the grade by the yard, the commissioners reserving the right to reject any or all bids. The party to whom it is let must give a good and sufficient bond. The contract will be let on the east end of said grade.

C. H. LICHTENBERGER,
J. W. MYERS,
R. F. McDONALD,
Commissioners of Highways.
S. C. DAVIS,
C. H. GARVER,
Committee for County.

Sept 30—d&wtd

Decatur School of Elocution

MISS LENA HENKLE,

Successor to Mrs. M. L. Cain, will organize her Classes in Elocution and Dramatic Reading, in the rooms formerly occupied by Mrs. Cain, northwest corner Old Square. Calisthenics, Physical and Vocal Gymnastics Classes meet Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from two to 5 p. m. Business hours Mondays, from 2 to 5 p. m. For terms, etc., address

Oct. 4—d3m — MISS LENA HENKLE, Decatur, Illinois.

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine. Feb1-d&w

BUSKINS, broad and soft, just the thing for old ladies, at BARBER & BAKER'S. April 15-d&wtf

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Cairo and Its People.

Cairo is the second city of importance in the Turkish Empire, Constantinople being the first. It is situated about 120 miles southeast of the now ruined city of Alexandria, a mile from the right bank of the Nile and ten miles above the delta of that river. It has a population of about 400,000 people, Mohammedans, Copts, Jews, Greeks, Armenians and Europeans. The city lies mostly on the plain of the Nile Valley, but the southeast part, including the citadel, is built upon the spur of the Mokkotam Mountain. Cairo occupies a site of about seven miles in circumference. Strangers who visit it are enchanted by its appearance from without, but their golden dreams are dispelled as soon as they set foot inside. The houses as a rule are wretched little huts one story high, and the streets are illy kept, unpaved, and in a filthy condition. Clouds of dust are met at every hand, and a heavy rainfall is considered a calamity, for the garbage in the streets undergoes rapid decomposition. The Esbekizah, the principal public place, is planted with shurbs and trees and crossed by walks. Cairo is famous for its mosques, some of them elegant specimens of Arabian architecture. The most celebrated of the four hundred of these structures is that of Sultan Hassan, near the citadel. The mosque El-Azhor is celebrated for the beauty of its architecture and for a college to which hundreds of students resort from all parts of the Mohammedan world. The mosque of Talun, founded A. D. 879, contains specimens of the pointed arch which was afterward introduced into Europe, and was one of the characteristics of the Gothic style of architecture. Northeast of the city, just outside the walls, are a number of beautiful mosques built over the tombs of the Circassian and Borgite monks. In the southeast is the citadel, on a hill 250 feet above the rest of the city, containing the palace of the Khedive, the mint, a manufactory of arms, various Government offices, barracks and other buildings, and a splendid mosque, begun by Mehemet Ali. Within the citadel a deep well is cut 280 feet deep, intended to supply the garrison in case of siege. The different races who inhabit Cairo live in distinct quarters, of which there are many, as the Jew quarter, the Frank quarter, the Coptic quarter, etc. The streets leading to each quarter are closed at night by gates. The Khedive maintains a theater for French comedy, and an opera house and a good ballet. In the Frank quarter is the library of the Egyptian association. There are also many Protestant and Catholic charitable institutions in Cairo, where all persons of all creeds are treated alike. The Americans, among others, have a religious mission in the city. Cairo has two suburbs, Boolak and Musr-el-Abek, both of which are on the banks of the Nile, and serve as ports to the city.

Cairo was founded about A. D. 970, by Johar, a General of El-Moez, the chief Imam of the northwest coast of Africa. He name it El Kahireh (the victorious), in commemoration of his conquest of Egypt. In 1171 the crusaders laid siege to the city, but withdrew on the approach of the Syrian army. Saladin greatly improved the city. In 1786 the Turks defeated the Mameluke beys in a battle before Cairo, and took possession of the place, but lost it again in 1790. A few years later General Bonaparte entered Cairo with his victorious army. The city was, furthermore, the scene of most of the triumphs of Mehemet Ali. At the head of the Albanians he conquered it soon after the departure of the French. He then openly declared war on the Mameluke beys. A considerable body of the beys who were camped before Cairo in the summer of 1806 were enticed into making an attempt to seize the city. They forced an entrance by a gate purposely left undefended, and marched triumphantly through the streets until they were suddenly surrounded by the troops of Mehemet Ali, who slaughtered them all without mercy. For the next ten years Mehemet Ali kept on comparatively good terms with the beys. On March 1, 1811, however, he enticed all the Mamelukes in Cairo into the citadel on pretense of witnessing the ceremony of investing his son Tusum with the command of an army to be sent against the Wahabees in Arabia. The gates of the fortress were then closed upon them, and they were killed to the number of 470. By this event Mehemet Ali's authority in Egypt was placed on a firm basis.—*N. Y. Mail and Express.*

—Jones is a timid man. He lives out of town, and out of town he has remained for a month. Every morning he starts for the train, gets nearly as far as the railroad, sees the red flag at the station, and returns homeward, wondering how much longer that case of small-pox is to keep him away from the depot.—*Boston Transcript.*

W. C. T. U.

Its meetings occur on Tuesdays at 7½ p. m., and on Thursdays at 3 p. m., at headquarters in Central Block, the former being a Gospel temperance meeting, and the latter one mainly for business. There is also a monthly sociable at the tabernacle, on the third Thursday evening of the month. All are welcome to any of these meetings. M. M. SARGENT, Sec.

THE finest line of Piece Goods, comprising all grades of cloths, cassimeres and worsted, which will be made up to order in the most fashionable style, are just received at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. [Sep 7 d&wtf

Durable, Stylish, Perfect Fitting, Low Priced Clothing at CHEAP CHARLEY'S. Sep7-d&wtf

In Good Spirits.

T. Walker, Cleveland, O., writes: "For the last twelve months I have suffered with lumbago and general debility. I commenced taking BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS about six weeks ago, and now have great pleasure in stating that I have recovered my appetite, my complexion has grown ruddy, and feel better altogether." Price $1.00. 3

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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. [April 3-d&wly

SAVE MONEY and buy Clothing, Hats, Caps, Furnishing Goods, etc., at the Decatur One Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring Establishment. The stock is large, the price is small. [7 d&wtf

Wanted.

First-class ladies' clothes ironers at Norman's Steam Laundry. None but the very best need apply. 16-dtf

Coal! Coal!

F. D. Caldwell has plenty of the very best of Lackawana hard coal; also Decatur coal, both lump and nut. All coal nicely screened. Office with American Express Co., three doors west of post office. [Sept. 19-dtf

ORDER soft nut coal of F. D. Caldwell and he will deliver it to you nicely screened. Office with American Express Co. March 23-dtf

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HOME AND FARM.

—Spirits of ammonia, diluted a little, will cleanse the hair thoroughly.

—A rake will kill as many weeds, just when germinating, as eight hoes will a week later.

—Lucerne resists the drought easily, as the roots of this variety of clover go twenty feet down into the soil. It can be cut repeatedly in a single season.

—A friend writes us that the most strengthening and healthful diet for the summer months is strong ice-cold beef, chicken or mutton broth, with the fat skimmed off. He says try it and judge for yourself.—*St. Louis Globe.*

—Coffee pounded in a mortar and roasted on an iron plate, sugar burned on hot coals and vinegar boiled with myrrh and sprinkled on the floor and furniture of a sick room are excellent deodorizers.—*The Scotsman.*

—Chocolate Frosting: Six rounded tablespoonfuls of grated chocolate, one and a half cups of powdered sugar, the whites of three eggs; beat the whites but very little (they must not become white), add the chocolate, stir it in; then pour in the sugar gradually, beating enough to mix it well.

—A correspondent of the *Blacksmith and Wheelwright* says: "The best remedy that I have ever found for horses clicking, or striking their hind shoes against the forward ones, is to put on high toe calks and low heels on the hind shoes. If my brother smiths are incredulous concerning this remedy, I advise them to try it and be convinced."

—A novelty in the utilization of wire fences consists in insulating one of the continuous wires and connecting its ends with the opposite poles of a battery. Animals coming in contact with this wire will receive a shock from the electric current which will effectually debar them, it is said, from attempting to break down or override fences of this description.—*Chicago Journal.*

—Sufficient attention is not paid to the importance of cutting off the flowering shoots of rhubarb as soon as they appear. If we would have a strong growth of leaf and stem we must not permit the roots to be weakened in this way. As soon as the flowering stems appear it will be seen that the stems become woody and strong, all the vitality of the plant is directed toward the production of the flowering stem, the most enervating process of the plant life.—*Rural New Yorker.*

—A novelty to many cooks is called white fruit-cake. The recipe calls for one cup of butter, two cups of sugar, two cups and a half of flour, the whites of seven eggs, two teaspoonfuls of baking-powder (not heaping, but evenly full), one pound of raisins, figs, dates, and blanched almonds, a quarter of a pound of citron; cut or, better still, chop these all fine, sift flour over and through them, and after mixing the cake, put the fruit in last. This makes a large cake, and it requires a long time to bake it; it should be baked slowly, so that the center may be as well done as the outside.—*N. Y. Post.*

Seek No Further.

It is said an old philosopher sought an honest man with a lighted lantern, and humanity has since been seeking an honest medicine by the light of knowledge. It has at length found it in Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which cures all diseases of the blood, removes pimples, and acts promptly upon the liver and urinary organs. Only 50 cents a bottle, to be had at Dr. A. J. Stoner's. 3

Cider and Bolted Meal.

Those wishing cider in any quantity for making superior vinegar, or for any other purpose, should call at William Bills' steam establishment on South Broadway, four doors north of the Illinois Midland Depot. Mr. Bills uses the self-adjustable cider press with the Grider hydraulic jack power. Only the best cider apples 80 bushels per day are used. Mr. Bills makes a specialty of his bolted meal, and also keeps in stock a full supply of feed of every description. Call at Bills' place for sweet cider, bolted meal and feed. His prices are as low as the lowest. [Sept. 29 d3w

E. McCLELLAND'S coal office has been moved from the old stand to the North Main street crossing of the Wabash railroad. Down-town office at Cole Bros. drug store. Telephone orders for best grades of hard and soft coal. Sept. 23-dtf

Cloaks, Dolmans, Children's and Misses Cloaks, Blankets, Bed Comforts and Shawls,

In splendid variety, first class in quality, all this season's purchases, *low in prices* — *lower* than any house in Decatur is willing to sell similar classes of goods. See and price them. CHEAP STORE.

Big 18. 30 d&wlw

To Chicago and Return.

The Wabash will sell round-trip tickets from Decatur to the Chicago Fair and Exposition on the following dates: Sept. 12 to 13, good to return on the 18th; Sept. 16 to 23, inclusive, good to return on the 25th; on Sept. 26 and 27, good to Oct. 2d; On Oct. 3 and 4, good to Oct. 9th; on Oct. 10 and 11, good to Oct. 16; and also on Oct 17 and 18, good to return on Oct. 23d. Fare for the round trip, including one admission ticket to the Exposition, which will close Oct. 21, $7.05. dtd

OUR FALL STYLES OF CLOTHING Far exceeds that of any other dealer. Our styles are the latest and of the BEST MANUFACTURE, and *Our Prices* so far below those of all competitors, that we are sure of taking the trade every time. Sep7-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

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$5 to $10 a day selling our "Ironing Board and Plaiter Combined." No capital required, and quick sales. We want agents in every town in the United States. J. T. HAND & Co's. march13-dmws-wtf.

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LADIES' Kid Button Boots, soft, light sole, at BARBER & BAKER'S. April 15-d&wtf

ESPECIALLY adapted for mechanics and workingmen—the $10 all wool Suits at Stine's. M5-dtf

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Aug. 5, 1882 dtf

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Aug. 25 dtf — **MYER & SON.**

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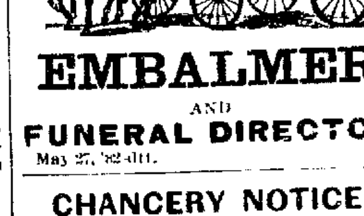

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FUNERAL DIRECTOR

May 27, '82-dtf.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court to December Term, 1882.
Ellen Ward vs. William K. Ward—In Chancery. Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in the State of Illinois of William K. Ward, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said defendant, William K. Ward, that the complainant in said cause, Ellen Ward, has filed her bill of complaint in the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, on the chancery side thereof against you, the said defendant, to the december term of said court, 1882. That a summons in said cause has been issued against you, the said defendant, returnable at the court house, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois on the first Monday in the month of December, 1882, as is by law required, and that said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court. And unless you, the said defendant, shall be and appear before said court on the first day of the next December term thereof, 1882, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer thereof.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court.
H. PASCO, Complainant's Solicitor.
Decatur, Ill., Sept. 18, 1882—d4w

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DECATUR, ILLS

March 16- dtf

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned, commissioners and committee of highways of the towns of Decatur and South Wheatland, Macon county and State of Illinois, on the seventh day of October, A. D. 1882, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the construction of ninety-six lineal feet of pile trestle and about ten thousand cubic yards of earth work, being the continuation of the Maffit ford road. Plans and profile of said work can be seen at the office of the town clerk at Decatur after October 1st, commissioners reserving the right to reject any or all bids. The party to whom it is let must give a good and sufficient bond.

C. M. CALDWELL, T. L. ANTRIM, D. A. MAFFIT, Com. of Decatur.
C. CONNARD, W. H. PRICE, P. HILL, Com. of South Wheatland.
H. WARD, S. MAHANNAH, Committee for Macon.

Sept 25 d&w2w

In Bankruptcy—No. 2,318.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of SILAS E. WARRICK, bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by said Silas E. Warrick, of near Macon, in the county of Macon, in said district, duly declared bankrupt, under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the thirty-first day of October, A. D. 1882, at eleven o'clock A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said court, at the United States Court Room, in the city of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said bankrupt and all other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.

HARVEY PASCO, Attorney for Petitioner.
Dated at Springfield, Sept. 23, 1882. [25-d4w

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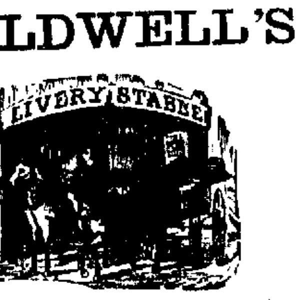

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April 14, 1882 dtf

County Court Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County, }

In the County Court of Macon County, to the November Term, A. D. 1882.

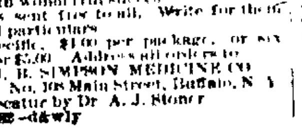
Robert M. Machan, administrator of the estate of James Muns, deceased, vs. Percy Muns, Alvin Muns, Maggie Brown, Mahlon Brown, Sarah Gantz, William H. Gantz, Ole Muns and Joseph M. Clokey.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Maggie Brown and Mahlon Brown, two of the above-named defendants, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court of the county of Macon and State of Illinois and the summons out of said court having been issued against all of defendants above named to the sheriff of Macon county, returnable to the November term, A. D. 1882, of the county court of Macon county, and by said sheriff returned not found as to said Maggie Brown and Mahlon Brown, public notice is hereby given the said last named defendants that Robert M. Machan, administrator of the estate of James Muns, deceased, has heretofore filed his petition in the said court as plaintiff against Percy Muns, Alvin Muns, Maggie Brown, Mahlon Brown, Sarah Gantz, William H. Gantz, Ole Muns and Joseph M. Clokey as defendants and that the said petition prays for the sale of certain real estate situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit: The north east quarter of the southeast quarter of section ten, and the west half of the southwest quarter of section eleven, town seventeen north, range three east of the third principal meridian, and also the following described tract of land in said county to wit: commencing nineteen chains south of the northwest corner of section No. nineteen, township No. seventeen north, range four east of the third principal meridian, thence east eighteen chains and thirty five links to a post on the north bank of the Sangamon river, thence down the meanderings of said river to a post on the north side of the same, including the west line of said section, thence north seven chains and fifty links to the place of beginning, or so much thereof as may be necessary ... property of said James Muns deceased ... pay the debts of the estate of said James Muns, and the said petition is now pending and undetermined in said court. Now unless you the said Maggie Brown and Mahlon Brown shall be and appear before the county court of the county of Macon and State of Illinois at a term thereof to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday in November, A. D. 1882, and plead, answer or demur to the said petition, the same will be taken as confessed against you, and an order of said court entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

H. W. WAGGONER, Clerk.
W. C. JOHNS, Attorney. [Oct 6-d4w

TO NERVOUS SUFFERERS—The Great European Remedy—Dr. J. B. Simpson's Specific Medicine.

It is a positive cure for Spermatorrhea, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, and all diseases resulting from Self-Abuse, as Mental Anxiety, Loss of Memory, Pains in Back or Side, and diseases that lead to Consumption, Insanity, and an early grave. The Specific Medicine is being used with wonderful success.



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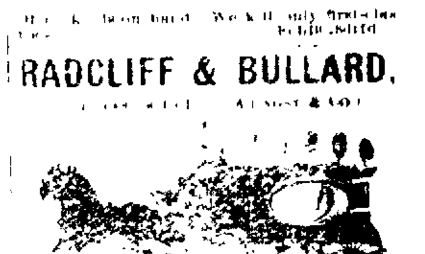

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Joseph H. Smith, Deceased.

Public notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Joseph H. Smith, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Decatur, on the first Monday in November, A. D. 1882, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Oct ... A. D. 1882.

LEWRIGHT S. WHEELER, Administrator.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For State Treasurer,
GEN. JOHN C. SMITH,
Of Cook county.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
CHARLES T. STRATTAN,
Of Jefferson county.

For Congressman—14th District,
JONATHAN H. ROWELL,
Of McLean county.

For State Senator—29th District,
JASON ROGERS,
Of Macon county.

For Representatives—29th District,
JOHN T. FOSTER, of Logan co.
JOHN H. CROCKER, of Macon co.

For County Judge,
SAMUEL F. GREER.

For County Clerk,
GEORGE P. HARDY.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE M. WOOD.

For County Superintendent,
EDWIN PHILBROOK.

For Sheriff,
WILLIAM W. FOSTER.

For Coroner,
JESSE E. BENDURE.

A DISGRACEFUL EXHIBITION.

The incidents attending the voluntary surrender of the bandit, Frank James, were of such a character as ought to make every honest man blush for his kind. Here was a red handed murderer, a highway robber whose exploits did not partake even of the element of bravery, who never robbed a train or murdered a victim except in true savage style by ambush and surprise this man, after hiding for years under an assumed name, and when no longer able to defy the law marches into the capital of his native state, is ostentatiously introduced to the governor by one of the most prominent men of the state as "my friend Frank James," and then proceeds in a stagy manner to deliver up the weapons with which he had sent many an innocent victim to his long home. He became at once the lion of the city, held a reception at one of the hotels, where he was called upon by the wealth, the beauty, the aristocracy, the *jobocracy and* [illegible], even, of Missouri, and, after being afforded every opportunity to experience the delights which an honored guest of the state alone could have spread before him, this murderous wretch was politely escorted to the county in which he stands indicted for a capital offense not in charge of an officer of the law, but by the private secretary of the governor. Could toadyism go farther, and what honest man can help blushing when he reads the record of this latest exhibition of subserviency to crime?

Who says there is no difference between the Republican and the Democratic parties? Under Buchanan's administration, Democratic disbursing officers stole $6.98 on every $1,000 paid out by them. In Van Buren's administration the shortage was $27.15 on every $1,000 paid out. During the Lincoln and Grant administrations the loss was very small, and in Hayes' administration it was not one cent on the $1,000 paid out, and the same has been true so far during the present administration. And, mind you the Democrats have not reformed since they had their last chance, and never will.

A Democratic exchange asks the question, "If all the rogues in the country were locked up, where would the Republican party be?" The Norristown *Herald* guesses the conundrum the first time with the answer "Well, it would be running the campaign with very little opposition."

London *Truth*: A very important voluntary settlement has taken place between the duke of Leinster and his tenantry. In 1870 the tenants accepted leases from the late duke which excluded them from the benefit of the land act of that year. These leases have now been canceled and fair rents have been fixed by mutual valuation on nearly 150 holdings. The former rent was £8,396; it has now been reduced to £6,761, a fall of nearly 20 per cent. According to the official returns, the capitalized value of the reductions is £24,380 for the fifteen years over which the judicial leases extend. To save time and expense, the land court has agreed to nominate two valuators to fix a fair rent on receiving a joint application from landlord and tenant, and if either party is dissatisfied with the decision he can appeal to the court. This is an arrangement that will greatly facilitate business, and it will lead to the amicable settlement of many disputes.

The Chicago *Times*, at the close of an editorial on the present agitation throughout the country, says: "Any decent man can stand the experiment of prohibition, but he will not endure the dictation of the bar-room. If the democrats of the country desire defeat, let them surrender to the whisky bottle and the professional Sabbath breaker."

Advices from New York show that the republicans of that state are rapidly recovering from the demoralization into which they were temporarily thrown, and that they will elect Judge Folger by a decided majority. The republican party are not to be stampeded or disorganized because of the flagitious wrongs of one or two unknown men.

Rare Surgery—Part of a Rabbit's Eye Transplanted into That of a Man.

Philadelphia Press.

An unusual and interesting operation was performed Friday in the amphitheatre of Jefferson College hospital. The operation was performed by Dr. W. L. Little, chief of the eye clinic, and will no doubt turn out entirely successful. It consisted in transplanting the conjunctiva (which is the layer of tissue forming the inner lining of the lids, and reflected onto the eyeball) of a rabbit into the eye of a man who was brought into the hospital a couple of months ago suffering from a severe burn that entirely destroyed his sight. He is a young Irishman named Michael McMullie, 28 years old, just over from the old country a few months, a strong, well formed, healthy fellow, but as helpless as a child in his blindness. Shortly after coming over he secured employment in a large chemical works, and while handling strong sulphuric acid the fluid splashed up over his face and head, burning him terribly and suddenly and completely blinding him. The right eye was destroyed entirely, and the left one so injured that anchyloblepharon resulted; that is, the lids grew fast to the ball, the burn having destroyed most of the conjunctiva. It was decided by a consultation of the surgeons to resort to this rare operation, with the hope of restoring the ball and lids to their normal condition, and afterward of securing sight to the injured left eye. Dr. Little, after some trouble, succeeded in getting a healthy buck rabbit, a large fine fellow of the lop-ear variety. He was fastened firmly to an apparatus used in experimenting on animals, and ether being administered to the man and rabbit, both were soon under the influence of the anæsthetic. Dr. Little, assisted by Drs. H. F. Hansell, Wright and C. M. Wilson soon had the eyelid of the man loose from its firm adhesion to the ball and ready for the new piece of conjunctiva which Dr. L. W. Fox, assisted by Dr. Ad. Hewson, had carefully and skillfully dissected from the left eye of the unconscious rabbit. The part, still warm and bleeding, was rapidly transferred to the under surface of the man's eyelid and neatly stitched to its place. He was then removed to the ward up stairs, and it is hoped that in a few days the wound will be entirely healed. That much being accomplished another difficult operation will be resorted to that will most likely restore to the man the invaluable blessing of sight.

A tourist in Mexico says that in the house of a wealthy native everybody is astir before sunrise. A servant comes to your room to ask if you will have coffee or chocolate there or will go to the dining room for it. You must not be offended if the host is off to his business without seeing you, for at 10 o'clock he will return and greet you ceremoniously enough. The breakfast, which is the chief meal of the day, is then served in courses. Fruit is eaten first, soup often follows, then meat, after that eggs, and finally frijoles, the national dish. This last is a dark red bean, cooked with lard, seasoned highly with red pepper, and is served in a soup plate and eaten with a spoon. It is very palatable, and foreigners generally become as fond of it as the natives. Wine is always on the table, and everybody concludes by smoking a cigaret, the ladies not excepted. Coffee and chocolate are served again in the afternoon, and at 11 p. m. there is a light supper, consisting principally of tomales, which is corn meal mush mixed with a force meat of chicken or beef, highly seasoned with red pepper and onions, all nicely rolled in a clean corn shuck, tied and put in a pot and boiled until done, and served in the shuck hot.

It is said the Canadian government has been informed of an intended visit of the Prince and Princess of Wales to this country on the occasion of the annual meeting of the British Science Association in Montreal. In that event an extended American tour will probably be arranged.

The Niantic Schools.

The following is a report of the Niantic school for the month ending October 3, 1882:

GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

Whole number enrolled, 54; average attendance, 43 3-11. The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy: Amelia Capp, Ida Whiteside, May Grosh, Flora Van Cleve, Ida Cross, Ada Cross, Edith Cross, Minnie Farnam, Minta Kizer, Ada Pritchett, May Jacobsen, Edwin VanCleve, Walter Farnam, Jacob Brock, Eddie Hargis, Harry Bryant, Charles Pritchett and Arthur Pritchett.

JOHN E. BRADEN, Teacher.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

Whole number enrolled, 72; average daily attendance 59 7-22. The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy: Ida Capp, Tracy Wacker, Nellie Wacker, Maud Seelig, Mattie Lowry, Ada Kitch, Hattie Lowry, Lulu Farnam, Rose Danley, Frank Williams, George VanCleve, Geo. Ryan, Henning Nottleman, Charley Martin, Jergen Nottlemann, Artie Kitch, Thos. Herrod, Harry Hunt, Eddie Gilbert, John Grosh, Lyman Farnam, Francis Campbell, Sammy Cross, Willie Allison and Erle Braden.

MOLLIE E. BRADEN, Teacher.

Rose Eytinge.

This celebrated emotional actress will appear at the opera house next Thursday evening in "The Princess of Paris," supported by a powerful dramatic company. Of the lady and the play the *Globe-Democrat* recently said:

A very good house welcomed Rose Eytinge, who appeared as *Lionette de Caurlin* in Dumas' latest drama, "The Princess of Paris," supported by Col. Wm. E. Sinn's Brooklyn, N. Y., Park Theater Company. Of Rose Eytinge as an actress it is scarcely necessary to say more than that she thoroughly and artistically fills the role she has here chosen. The play is founded upon the story of the Princess of Bagdad, the first two acts of that work having undergone great alterations and improvements at the hands of Dumas himself; the last set being entirely new, novel and original. All the objectional features of the former play have been eliminated and "The Princess of Paris," as presented last night, is pure in moral, tender in sentiment, intense in interest, strong and natural in plot, rapid in action, full of sudden surprises and, in fact, a model play.

General admission, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Reserved seats will be on sale at Curtis & Co.'s next Monday morning, without extra charge.

You will see nothing but the latest imported novelties in Neck Wear at John Irwin's. It will pay you to look at them. 2-d1w

The season has now fairly arrived for the Democratic politicians and press of the country to howl themselves hoarse over Republican extravagance, Republican corruption and Republican official thieving; but they omit to state that this country has never been so prosperous and flourishing and made such rapid strides of progress in all the essential elements of growth as it has during the last eighteen years of Republican rule, and this too while the taxes have been gradually but steadily reduced, and the enormous national debt created by the civil war has been diminished more than a thousand millions of dollars, besides the payment of interest on an average of over two thousand millions; and that the public debt is now being liquidated at the rate of twelve to sixteen million dollars per month. These self constituted custodians of public virtue also forget to state that the Republican party has given us the best system of currency this nation has ever had, every dollar of the four kinds in circulation being worth a hundred cents in the payment of debts or purchase of property, and exchangeable at par for any or all the other kinds of money. Why don't some of these political teachers who wail for the good old days of Bourbon rule rehearse a chapter or two of Democratic financiering during a decade or two previous to the war, and tell the young voters how ably James Buchanan and his Democratic predecessors in the presidential chair steered the ship of state: how in time of peace they, with the aid of a Democratic congress, drained the public treasury, and being unable to conduct the monetary affairs of the government so as to raise means sufficient to defray the current expenses, continually ran behind, and saddled a debt of about ninety millions upon the country when they stepped out of power, bequeathing to their successors a bankrupt treasury and a wildcat currency whose value was so fluctuating that no man who went to sleep at night with it in his possession could tell what it or he would be worth at his waking next morning. Then, too, let us have a few facts concerning the per cent of losses sustained by the government through dishonest officials in handling public moneys under Democratic and Republican administrations. These bits of political history would be both interesting and instructive to the young men, and some of the old ones of the country. Why not enlighten them with some of these facts of the "grand old party's" virtues as well as Republican vices.—*Springfield Post.*

Railroad Dancing Cars.

Fort Worth Gazette.

A ball room car is the latest novelty introduced on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, and recently a merry party of St. Louis belles and beaux made an excursion over the road, and danced the racquet with the train moving at forty miles an hour. The ball room was in a large baggage car, sixty feet long by fifteen wide. The floor was elegantly carpeted, the walls beautifully painted, hung with pictures, and decorated with bunting, evergreens, and garlands of roses. There was an orchestra of eight pieces, and refreshments were passed around every hour.

The Chinese preserve a tradition that on a certain night centuries ago one of the three souls of a renowned Mongolian visited the moon and found the inhabitants diverting themselves with theatrical performances. Upon its return to earth it established the terrestrial theatre—an event which is still celebrated on September 25, the 15th day of the Chinese eighth month, with various singular ceremonies called "Congratulating the moon." On the appointed night the Chinatown of San Francisco was in a blaze of cheap glory. Shops and lodging houses were illumined, the dragon flag floated everywhere, lanterns hung from windows and balconies, and a multitude of many colored candles shed light and grease around. Numberless sheets of mock paper money were burned, firecrackers were surreptitiously set off wherever a policeman was not in sight, and the air was vocal with the jabbering of a thousand glib tongues.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Despite the painting and scraping to which the president's house has been subjected for the past few weeks it is still far from being attractive, and the exterior presents a daubed streaked appearance white paint cannot conceal. At the last session of congress a bill was introduced, appropriating $400,000 for an addition to the structure, which would have resulted in the erection of a modern edifice and suitable residence for the chief executive. The measure was allowed to go through the senate peacefully enough but when it reached the house a strong lobby was organized to defeat it. The lobby represented a syndicate which has bought up a large piece of ground, north of the boundary line of the city, known as the Stone estate. Here, on a shady knoll, a site has been selected for a new presidential mansion, and such is the influence exerted by the lobby that it is among the probabilities that Uncle Sam will eventually be forced to buy and enrich the speculators. The $25,000 appropriated annually for the improvement of the executive mansion and its surroundings is a mere drop in the bucket, and the results are difficult to ascertain after the money has been expended.

The throng of tourists who besiege the attendants daily for permission to inspect the house cannot find words to express their indignation when told that this is the famous white house.

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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 6.—In accordance with a dispatch received from Gov. Crittenden last night, a party, including Prosecuting Attorney Wallace, Marshal Murphy, who carried the warrant, Sheriff Timberlake, of Clay county, and Police Commissioner Craig, left this city early this morning to meet the governor's secretary with Frank James in charge at Independence, the county seat of this county.

From Independence a number of reporters went on down the road and met the incoming train at Pleasant Hill. On the train were Mr. Farr, Governor Crittenden's secretary, and Frank James, accompanied by Major John Edwards of Sedalia. At the station was an anxious crowd, eager for a glimpse of the man who for twenty years has apparently defied the law. Once here and several times along the route James was recognized by old confederates—men who had known him in the guerrilla days. Evidently he has changed much in appearance, as none of them recognized him until he had been pointed out. James is 5 feet 9 inches in height, of spare but sinowy build, with rather thin face and prominent cheek bones, light blue eyes, small blonde mustache and hair somewhat darker. His complexion is that of a man who has been for some time in confinement, and his weight is 125 pounds. Because of spare form he appears taller than he really is. His manner is quiet, and his language is that of a man in the ordinary walks of life. His dress is altogether unobtrusive, the only jewelry being a gold watch and chain.

In an interview, he stated to the associated press reporter that although receiving no promise of clemency from Governor Crittenden, he had at last nerved himself to an act which he had long contemplated, and surrendered himself to the state. He is confident that if he be tried on any single charge alone he will not be convicted, and although having received no promises, he seems to hope that in case of conviction, clemency will be shown because of his voluntary action. He says that his desire is to lead henceforth a quiet life with his family, and, instead of an outlaw's life, to aid in the protection of the state against criminals. He declares that from April, 1877, until April, 1881, he lived quietly with his wife upon a rented farm in Tennessee, near Nashville. This he asserts he can prove by staunch business men of Nashville. Regarding his whereabouts since April, 1881, he is silent. He says, however, that he read the news of the shooting of Jesse in the New York *Herald* the morning of its publication, indicating that he was in that vicinity, and admits that he has been east of the Alleghanies and in Kentucky during the past year.

Regarding the various crimes charged against him, James declined to speak, thinking this not the proper time, but declared he had been much maligned; that he had never written a letter which appeared in print, and never threatened vengeance for his brother's death.

As the train swept through the timbered country James spent much of his time in looking out of the window. Pointing towards the wooded hills and thicket-grown pastures, he remarked, "That's mighty good bushwhacking country. I know every foot of that ground. Many a time have I watched from those hills and seen the soldiers pass up and down." At stations all the way from Jefferson City, Mr. Farr stated, the same strained interest was manifest, and depot platforms were crowded with expectant people, men, women and children. Speaking of the scene at Jefferson City, yesterday, Mr. Farr said 'twas one of strange history connecting therewith long to be remembered. The voluntary prisoner was the coolest man in the hall where the governor, surrounded by a number of officials, received him. A man who has lived for years moving about through the heart of the country with an enormous price on his head. He bears the marks of many battles. He has seventeen scars to show for as many wounds; been twice shot through the body with minie balls. The last member of the most remarkable gang of bandits that ever infested the country, he comes at last voluntarily to place himself within the hands of the law. When the train reached Independence the crowd fell back. Upon the meeting of James with his mother, wife and child, a boy of four years, Mrs. Samuels wept aloud, and her son's eyes were wet.

The wife seemed to think only of the joy of meeting her husband again. The child looked wonderingly from his father's shoulder upon the scene. The waiting officers joined the party, which then drove to the court house. With all the sentiment which necessarily surrounds a history so mysterious and an event so dramatic, there rests the conviction among the citizens generally that the law should take its impartial course, and justice be meted out as seems best. The feeling expressed, however, has nothing of open violence, and there is no possible danger of any attempt in that direction.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 6.—A prominent Ohio politician, who has been spending a week in Columbus, returned home satisfied that the state will certainly go republican, at next Tuesday's election, by from 8,000 to 10,000 majority. "In this estimate," he said, "allowance is made for Cincinnati going democratic by from 5,000 to 6,000, and the election there of one candidate for congress, and perhaps both, although Butterworth has a fighting chance. This estimate is based on the fact that the republican organization throughout the state is thorough and effective, while that of the democrats is not. The result will be that a greater percentage of the republican vote in the rural districts will be secured, especially in republican strongholds, than the democratic organization will be able to meet."

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

JAMES CHAPEL.

Preaching at the usual hours to-morrow morning and evening. Sunday School at 9 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Services at 10½ a. m. and 7½ p. m., by the pastor. Theme for morning discourse, "Sunday Sickness" and for evening sermon, "Pilate's Instability." Sunday School 2 p. m. To these services a cordial invitation is extended to all.

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Preaching by the pastor morning and evening; class meeting at 9 a. m.; Sunday School at 2 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

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Regular gospel services in association rooms at 3.30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

RAILROAD MEETING.

Services in Eldorado hose house at 5 p. m. Railway employes, their families and all others interested cordially invited to be present.

"Rooms for Rent" Monday Night.

This play is attractive in sentiment, remarkably funny, and touchingly pathetic.

There was a nice quiet old gent,
Who on peace and retirement was bent;
So a building he bought,
Fixed it up with much thought,
And put out the sign "Rooms for Rent."

How his scheme worked, and the way in which he found "peace with a vengeance" after his house was filled with tenants, may be somewhat inferred from what follows: A diary was picked up on the street a few evenings since, in which the following entry appeared:

"Sunday, Oct. 25, I thought I could "retire" and live a quiet life by purchasing a building and renting out rooms; I'm a fool. I don't know why I am, but I am. Such times as I have had since the tenants came into my building have never occurred since the flood. I am kept in a state of anxiety all the time. If things go on this way I shall go crazy. I don't know how I shall, but I shall."

The cause of the old fellow's mental anxiety, as above noted, is fully explained in the convulsing comedy, "Rooms for Rent," the most amusing play of the present day, which will be given at the opera house next Monday evening by the Ensign Comedy Company. Admission, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Pleasure Excursion.

Over the P. D. & E., C. B. & Q. and B. & M. R. R. to Lincoln, Nebraska, on the 10th and 24th of October. Only $15 for the round trip: tickets good for 40 days. Cheap rates from Lincoln to any point in Nebraska. The B. & M. R. R. Co. has over 600,000 acres of rich, fertile lands for sale on ten years time. For any information call on J. M. Lowry, agent for B. & M. R. R. lands. oct6-d&wtd

THE Illinois Central railroad will run a special train to the Chicago Exposition, leaving Decatur at 7:52 a. m. Tuesday, October 10th. Fare for the round trip only $3.50, return tickets good until October 23d, inclusive. Two fine coaches will be side-tracked at Decatur for the special accommodation of passengers from this point. J. F. Merry, Excursion Agent, will accompany the excursion and carefully look after the convenience and comfort of his passengers. Train will arrive at Chicago at 5:30 p. m. sep30-dtd

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Lessons for ladies on Wednesday and Fridays at 3 p. m. Inquire further at her office in Central Block, on Merchant St., of M. M. Sargent, M. D. oct-21f

NICE fresh oysters, the first of the season and the best in the land, now on sale at Frank Hall's Oyster Bay, on North Main street. 1dtf

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

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HOUSE TO RENT—For a small family. Barn and other outbuildings. Inquire of I. D. Walker, in Millikin's Bank building. Oct. 7-6t

WANTED—A good girl at M. J. Smock's boarding house, on East Main street. Will pay good wages. 5-d1w*

WANTED—At the First M. E. church, a man to serve as sexton for one year. Apply to J. IMBODEN. 3-d6*

WANTED—A girl to do light housework. Apply at the dental office of Dr. T. S. Hoskins, over Hubbard & Swearingen's store. 5—d6*

FOR SALE—A pleasantly situated house of seven rooms, two blocks from either square, in good condition. Apply to L. R. CAIN, or on premises, No. 45 South Water st. Oct. 4-d6t*

GIRL WANTED.—To do dining room work. Apply at Commercial Hotel. 3-d6*

WANTED—Help at the steam laundry; will pay $7 per week for a No. 1 wash woman that can fill the place. Also want help in the ironing room. Apply at once. 3-d2

LOST—Between the Republican office and Fourth Ward school house, 12 yards brown muslin and 4½ yards of flannel. The finder will confer a favor by leaving the same at Washburn's or Hays' store. Oct. 2-d6

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—45 South Water street, seven rooms, bath room, good cellar and cistern. Apply at 14 Merchant st., or on the premises. L. R. CAIN. 4-d1w

FOR SALE.—A stable on East William and Mill streets, 20x32 and 14 feet high. Enquire of J. Constant, on Cemetery street. 30d1w*

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J. M. LOWRY, Justice of the Peace and Collecting Agent, writes and certifies the acknowledgment of deeds, mortgages, leases, releases, and other instruments neatly and correctly. Office, Powers' Block, room No. 2, Decatur, Illinois. may 18 d1y

REAL ESTATE OFFICE of Kaufman & Randolph, over Decatur National Bank. Parties wanting to buy or sell property will do well to call on the above. 7—d2

SOME very desirable lots on West William street, as nice as can be found in the city, suitable for fine residences. 7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

WE have property all over the city for sale. Also lots from $175 to $2,000 each. 7-30 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

CHEAP LOTS.—For sale to parties intending to build. Apply to MONTGOMERY & SHULL, Powers' Block. mar1dtf

IF THIS MEETS THE EYE OF ANY ONE
Who at the present time, or in the near future, desires to know just where to purchase any kind of goods for "KEEPING HOUSE," and where you can receive REAL VALUE for EVERY DOLLAR YOU EXPEND,
LIDDLE'S
is the place, Court House Block, Four Mammoth Store Rooms, each 130 feet long, filled with the Best and Cheapest Bed Room
FURNITURE!
Dining-room Furniture, Rich Parlor Suits, Wardrobes, Book Cases, Desks, Lounges, Easy Chairs, Beds, Mattresses, Pillows, &c.
COOKING STOVES,
FOR COAL AND WOOD.
GLAD TIDINGS has no superior as a cooking stove.
The CROWNING GLORY, as a Base Burner, Base Heater and Extra Front Heater, EXCELS ALL OTHER HEATERS MADE. All warranted.
China and Glass Goods, Queensware and Lamps.
Hull's Vapor Stoves,
absolutely the best Gasoline Burner in use anywhere, at prices greatly reduced.
Goods carefully packed and shipped without extra charge.
It will be to the interest of all to see this stock of desirable goods.
R. LIDDLE,
COURT HOUSE BLOCK.
August 5—d&w

Korsmeyer & O'Neill,
Prairie St., two Doors East of Post Office, Decatur, Illinois,
Offer this season the
BIGGEST BARGAINS
—IN—
Breech Loaders!
EVER HEARD OF.
Having contracted early last winter for our stock of Guns direct with the manufacturers, we were obliged to order in very large quantities in order to get them at regular Jobbers' prices; our Guns are therefore made to our express order, and we are now enabled to sell
First-Class Custom Made Guns
—AT—
WHOLESALE PRICES,
Thus saving to our Customers
FROM 20 to 30 PER CENT.
which would otherwise go into the pockets of the Jobbers. Come in and examine our stock and prices before purchasing; it will pay you. Send for price list.
ALL KINDS OF REPAIRING
Done promptly, and warranted.
Residences fitted up with hot and cold water fixtures and the latest improved Self-Regulating Steam Heating Apparatus.
☞ Agents for the WANELL FIRE CLAY COMPANY'S GLAZED SEWER PIPE.
July 31—d&w6mo

Physical & Chemical Apparatus;
MICROSCOPES, TELESCOPES, SCHOOL GLOBES, &c.
Inventor's Models and all sorts of light machinery promptly furnished to order. Send for price list.
GEO. A. HENDERSON,
102 E. Eldorado St., Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 21-d&wtf

Handsome
CASHMERES
and
BLACK SILKS
received to-day.
Look out for
NEW NOVELTIES
—something every
day this month.
F. L. HAYS & CO.
Sep. 5—d&wtf

We carry the Largest Assortment of
WATCHES,
CLOCKS.
JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,
And NOVELTIES in our line in Decatur. Our stock this spring is very large, and embraces many Styles found nowhere else in this city.
OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST
And all Goods sold will be
Guaranteed Just as Represented.
☞ Do not buy anything in our line until you have seen our stock and learned our prices.
W. R. ABBOTT & Co.
DECATUR'S RELIABLE JEWELERS.
Oct. 20, 1881—d&w3mo

HATS, GLOVES
AND
FALL UNDERWEAR.
I have a Splendid Line of the above goods. Don't fail to call and see them.
S. T. KEELER, Hatter,
Sept. 26 dtf 20 EAST MAIN STREET.

CITY BOOK STORE.
EVERY SIZE, STYLE AND QUALITY OF
BLANK BOOKS!
From the smallest Pass Book to medium Ledgers and Journals, cheaper than the cheapest.
Always in stock a full supply of School Books, new and second hand.
Family Bibles, Pocket Bibles, Photograph Albums and Autograph Albums.
Picture Frames, all sizes, styles and qualities, made to order on short notice.
A. J. WALLACE,
Sept. 10—d&wtf 12 Merchant Street.

GEO. P. BLUME'S
NEW OFFICE IS NOW OPEN!
Last door north, in Opera Block, and opposite new Masonic Temple.
The White, the Diamond, the Stewart Singer,
And other First-Class Machines.
SUPPLIES FOR ALL MACHINES!
Oil, 5 cents per bottle; Singer Needles, 10 cents per dozen; Singer Shuttles, 25 cents; Singer Tuckers, 25 cents. Other goods in proportion.
At BLUME'S NEW OFFICE.
Decatur, Oct. 7, 1882—d&wtf

Fair and Festival

The German Lutheran Church will have a

FAIR AND FESTIVAL!

—AT THE—

TABERNACLE,

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of Next Week,

October 11, 12 and 13,

For the purpose of securing money to help to pay off the debt of their church.

The ladies of the church will set Dinner on Thursday and Friday, and Oyster Supper Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at 25 cts. a meal.

On the last day of the Fair a Ladies' Phaeton Cart, of modern style, manufactured by Wayne Bros., will be chanced, and chances can be had at $1.00 each, of E. C. Bassey, Mrs. Charles Marcott, or at Post's jewelry store and Pahmeyer's cigar store. A Gold Watch and a number of other useful articles will be voted away. oc4-dtd

PUBLIC SALE!

There will be offered at public sale at the James D. Tait farm, two miles north of Decatur, along the Illinois Central Railroad, on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1882,

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. sharp, the following property, towit:

Fifty Head of Cattle, consisting of Cows, Heifers, Steers and Cows of various ages; one high grade Bull, 2 years old last April; one span Horses, one span Mules, one young Pacing Mare, upwards of 100 Sheep, sixty Hogs of various sizes, one Combined Champion Reaper and Mower, one Press Drill, one Field Roller, from one to ten Corn Planters, two Stalk Cutters, one sulky Hay Rake, one Spring and Lumber Wagons, Harrows and Cultivators, one Bob Sled, one [illegible], one Hand Corn Sheller, one Grain Fan, one Cider Mill, and other farm implements too tedious to mention. Seventy-five acres of corn in the field will also be offered for sale. One [illegible] Stock Scale, seventy-five tons of hay in stack, and barn, household and kitchen furniture, including one Parlor Set and various other things useful on a farm. All this property to be sold if not otherwise disposed of.

TERMS OF SALE—Sums of $10 and less, cash. Larger amounts a credit of ten months on note with known and approved security.

JOSEPH S. TAIT.

Decatur, Ill., Oct. 3, 1882 d&w1w

LOOK OUT

—FOR—

BARGAINS

—IN—

WATCHES!

Our contracts compel us to take more movements from the different factories than ALL OTHER JEWELERS IN TOWN COMBINED, but

We Get Extra Discounts by It,

AND THEREFORE

MUST DO IT.

THESE MOVEMENTS

MUST BE SOLD!

Don't buy a Watch until you have seen us. We will make it pay you. DO YOUR "LOOKING AROUND," and then COME AND GET OUR PRICES.

O. E. Curtis & Co.

EVERY WATCH WARRANTED.

August 16 dawtf

NEW FALL STOCK.

ABEL & LOCKE

ARE SELLING BETTER

BRUSSELS & INGRAIN CARPETS

THAN YOU EVER SAW FOR THE MONEY.

Their Store is Full of Novelties in the CARPET, WALL-PAPER and CURTAIN line.

Sept. 20 dawtf

WE DESIRE

To announce that MISS HAWKES has returned from Chicago, where she has been the past ten days making selections of

PATTERN HATS AND BONNETS,

AND

CHOICE MILLINERY!

GOODS IN AND ON SALE.

The crowded condition of our Store and the rush of business will prevent a usual opening. We cordially invite everybody to call and see

Our New and Beautiful Stock

SURPASSING ALL FORMER EFFORTS.

The Best Goods, the Largest Stock, the Lowest Prices, makes ours the popular trading place. Respectfully,

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,
NO. 10 MERCHANT STREET.

Sept. 28-d&wtf

—THE—

BIG SHOE STORE,

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

Wholesale and Retail Boots & Shoes.

LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

L. L. FERRISS & CO., DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

July 11, 1882—d&wly

ATTENTION, ALL!

D. DUSTMAN,

FURNITURE DEALER

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

BEST FURNITURE

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur.

His Stock is all New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily.

☞ Call and see him, and you cannot fail to be pleased with his goods and prices.

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The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier,	*15 Cts.*
One year, in advance,	*$7.00*
Six Months, "	*3.50*
Three Months, "	*1.75*

SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 7, 1882.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

LARGEST stock of Majolica Ware in the city, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

THE city council will meet in adjourned session Monday night.

ALWAYS call at Niedermyer's for fine family groceries.

THE old dining room at the Palace Hotel has been converted into a bar and billiard room.

THE Downing license injunction matter is before Master in Chancery Brown this afternoon.

SEE the funny trick dogs at the opera house to-night. Take the children.

THIS morning George P. Blume opened his new White sewing machine office in opera block. He has a fine lay-out of machines and supplies.

SELECT the latest sheet music and musical instruments generally at Prescott's in opera block.

THE Wabash will sell tickets to Chicago on October 10th at $3.50 for the round trip; good to return up to and including Oct. 23d. oct7-d3

FOR Sunday smoking purchase the celebrated Bohemian cigars made by Schrueder.

A MARRIAGE license was issued this morning to Clint M. Brodess, of Decatur, and Miss Minnie L. Brubeck, of Grove City.

TRY Keck & Weigand's "Keystone" and "19-er" cigars. They are fine smokers. Factory and store on East Eldorado St. oct5-d1f

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THE Macon county poor farm takes the premium for potatoes of the "Peerless," "Burbank" and "Rose" varieties. Fine specimens of the 500 or 600 bushels on the place were brought to this office this morning by Mr. I. Baldwin. The farm is under good management and flourishes every year.

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In the third ward, sixth and seventh grades, on yesterday afternoon, Miss Nanie Ferriss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ferriss, spelled down the entire school. Josie Gasaway spelt hazard with two Z's, and Nanie was the victor, all the other pupils 60 in number having gone down in order.

AN effective medicine for kidney diseases, low fevers and nervous prostration and well worthy of a trial is Brown's iron Bitters. 6

ON account of ill health, Mr. E. P. Vail will not be able to go to Elwin to-night with Mr. Rogers. Mr. Vail has engaged Mr. Charles Carcins to go in his place. Mr. C. is a young man of fine ability and will make a good speech, as will also Mr. Rogers.

CALL at Peniwell's grocery for butter, eggs and chickens, No. 22 West Main street. Oct. 5-d6

THIS forenoon Clerk Waggoner got notice not to issue marriage licenses to Andrew Hedenburg and Mary McDaniel, because Andrew is but 18, and the mother objects; and to William Maiden and Mary A. Traughber, because the couple are related, being nephew and aunt.

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"SUNDAY SICKNESS" will be the subject of Rev. Prestley's discourse at the Presbyterian church to-morrow forenoon. All who are not ill should hear this sermon.

A FINE oyster lunch will be served at Campbell & McGinty's place this evening at 9 o'clock. The proprietors promise the usual magnificent lay out, and invite the public to partake of it. d1

A SPLENDID stock of ladies' fine stationery, embracing the very newest styles, at Wallace's Book Store. 18-d&wtf

PROF. MORRIS and his wonderful dogs will catch another immense crowd of little and big folks at the opera house to-night. Go early if you want to get a seat. The performance will continue for about an hour.

A PURE strengthening tonic, free from whisky and alcohol, cures dyspepsia and similar diseases. It has never been equalled. Brown's Iron Bitters. 6

GO TO Peter Ullrich's and order your *coal* and *wood*. or1-d1w

ORDERS left at Peter Ullrich's for coal and wood promptly attended to. [4-d1w

FOR the best meals and best liquors call at the Palace Hotel. [Aug 20-d1f

AT THE sale of the personal property of Charles McMahon who was murdered with his two hired men, the effects sold very high. Horses bought from $50 to $215, while one team of mules, fifteen years old, brought $342. Everything was disposed of. The whole amount brought in on personal property alone was $1,912.05.

MR. OLIVE COAL, lump and nut, well screened, for sale at MARTIN'S Oct. 5 d2w Coal Yard.

PETER ULLRICH'S grocery store is the place to leave your orders for *hard and soft coal*. oct4-d1w

JOHN IRWIN, at the White Front, has surpassed all his former efforts in his selection of Neck Wear. 2-d1w

GO TO Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21dtf

ATTEND the fair and festival at the tab next week, commencing on Wednesday and continuing until Friday night. Proceeds to go toward paying off the debt on the German Lutheran church. On the last day of the fair a ladies' phaeton cart, of modern style, manufactured by Wayne Bros., will be chanced, and chances can be had at one dollar each of E. C. Bassey Mrs. Charles Marcott, or at Post's jewelry store and Pahmyer's cigar store. A gold watch and a number of other useful articles will be voted away. Admission ten cents. Dinner and supper on Wednesday and Thursday.

THE OLD 116th REGIMENT.

First Annual Reunion of the Survivors Held at the Court House This Afternoon.

List of Old Veterans in Attendance.

The first annual reunion of the survivors of the old 116th regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry, a gallant body of 1000 Macon county men, was held at the court house this afternoon. This regiment, which was known during the war as one of the best in the Fifteenth or "Forty Round" Corps, was formed in this county in 1862 and went into camp at "Camp Macon" at the fair grounds in September of that year. Soon afterward the regiment was mustered into the service with Nathan W. Tupper as its first colonel. The regiment left Decatur for the front on the 27th day of November, 1862, going south over the Illinois Central road on the Tallahatchie march. The regiment engaged in 16 battles and many skirmishes during the struggle and was mustered out at Camp Butler at the close of the war in 1865, with John E. Mattox, and only about 300 of the 1000 men in line.

THE REUNION MEETING

was called to order during the forenoon, when Major I. N. Barnes was elected president, John McWhinney and N. M. Baker, secretaries, and Capt. William Grason, treasurer. All of the company secretaries were re-elected. Nothing further transpired until the survivors reassembled this afternoon, and after each had paid his dues of 25 cents, a sketch of the experiences of Captain Baker were read by himself. Short addresses were made by I. N. Barnes, A. F. Hopkins, Capt. Grason Capt. Richsame, A. C. Stevens, Dr. Hockleman, A. L. Metzler and others.

THE ROSTER.

Those present at the reunion to-day were the following, who signed the association constitution:

Major Ira N. Barnes, regimental surgeon, Decatur, Ill.
Rev. N. M. Baker, regimental chaplain, Decatur, Ill.
A. F. Hopkins, quartermaster sergeant, Hawise, Ill.
Dr. John A. Hockleman, first assistant regiment sergeant, Decatur, Ill.
A. C. Stevens, sergeant Co. A., Decatur, Ill.
N. T. Skill, Co. H. Moawequa, Ill.
John B. Kemerer, Co. G., Assumption, Ill.
H. S. Henson, Co. B., Decatur, Ill.
S. C. Hornback, Co. E., Decatur, Ill.
R. M. Hamilton, captain Co. E., Harristown, Ill.
W. H. Gepford, corporal Co. E., Forsyth, Ill.
Albert McKee, Co. A., Warrensburg, Ill.
J. R. Kitchen, Co. I., Decatur, Ill.
Chris Richsame, captain Co. B., Bloomington, Ill.
John McWhinney, corporal Co. B., Decatur, Ill.
D. L. Davidson, Co. B. Mt. Zion, Ill.
R. M. Black, Co. C., Mt. Zion, Ill.
Lewis Morris, sergeant Co. A., Mt. Zion, Ill.
L. C. Farnam, Co. E., Niantic, Ill.
A. L. Metzler, Co. C., Dayton, Cass county, Mo.
Z. R. Prather, first lieutenant Co. C., Casner Station, Ill.
C. S. Ballard, Co. E., Harristown, Ill.
D. A. Farnam, Co. E., Niantic, Ill.
Nathaniel Sprague, Co. B., Argenta, Ill.
Larkin Fesler, Co. D., Argenta, Ill.
Isaac Fesler, Co. D., Argenta.
Samantus Huston, Co. G., — —.
Jerome A. Cox, Co. A., Mt. Zion, Ill.
S. T. Miles, Co. I., Oreana, Ill.
Thomas F. Burke, Co. A., Blue Mound, Ill.
F. F. Campbell, Co. H., Moawequa, Ill.
William Grason, captain Co. A., Oakley, Ill
Daniel Bowen, Co. A., Cerro Gordo, Ill.
Jacob Peck, Co. A., La Place, Ill.
John Shields, Co. K., Casner Station, Ill
C. H. Clark, Co. E., Decatur, Ill.
J. J. Neyhard, Co. A., Elwin, Ill.
W. S. Turpen, Co. K., Dalton City, Ill.

No Wonder She Giggled.

As the fair and hebe-like *Calanthe* stood clasped in the arms of *Pythias* at the opera house last night and was giving utterance to the love which filled her heart, thus did she spake: "I swear by yon *blue* moon in yon *pale* sky that I will cling to thee through thick and thin and be unto thee a true and loving wife," or words to that effect, and then the actress and actor smiled in concert at the blunder the former had made. The lady giggled and turned her head and it seemed for a moment that that scene in the piece would be cut out, but both the performers soon recovered from their temporary embarassment, and the *blue moon* was soon forgotten.

A Monster Yam.

Mr. H. W. Hill, the well-known manufacturer of the celebrated hog-rings, yesterday brought to this office the largest sweet potato or yam of the red variety that has ever yet graced the REPUBLICAN agricultural specimen table. It weighs over five pounds, is twelve inches in length, and six inches in diameter. Such a big potato was never before seen hereabouts and if any one can beat it we should like to have that farmer come to the front. This potato, with many others like it, was grown upon Mr. Hill's home place in the second ward. There is enough "meat" in it to feed a family of 15 or 20 persons.

HENRY WITNER is in jail here. He is wanted in Clarksville, Mo., for grand larceny. He escaped from an officer there 10 months ago. He has a wife and two small children who came to Decatur yesterday from Raymond. A Missouri officer will come after Witner.

LAST evening State's Attorney Johns was out driving his trotting mare and having an airing. He was seated in a road cart, and coming up Cemetery street with Chris Brown driving "Jay Gould" close behind, an accident occurred which greatly endangered the life of Mr. Johns for a few moments. The mare was being driven quite rapidly, when suddenly the axle broke near one of the wheels and Mr. Johns was thrown into the street; but one of his feet caught in the rig, and as a matter of safety to himself he held on to the lines until the foot was extricated and then he let go his hold. He was dragged along the street a distance of about 50 yards, while the mare was plunging and kicking violently. The mare was stopped in Mr. Green's yard by the cart striking against a tree. It was a close call for Mr. Johns, who fortunately escaped with only a few bruises.

To the Benevolent.

A widowed mother has asked me to help her find homes for a little girl of nine years, and a boy of six years of age. The children seem to be unusually bright and intelligent. I believe the mother is a worthy christian woman.

E. A. GASTMAN.

STINE'S $10 all wool Cassimere Suits. M5-dtf

THE great all wool Cassimere Suits at B. Stine's, the Boss Clothier. M5-dtf

A Pleasant Party.

A company of lads and lassies met at the home of Miss Annie Cox on North Main street last evening, the object of which concentration being to make a surprise invasion at the home of Miss Nellie Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hubbard. Nellie was spirited away for a few hours, and when she returned after 8 o'clock and found so many of her young friends in possession of her home, she was more than astonished—she was amazed beyond expression, because she had had no intimation of the unanimous call. However, she made the best of the situation, and succeeded in making all feel perfectly at home. The hours were spent in a variety of games, and in discussing delicious refreshments. Those present were: Lulu Elwood, Clara Weyl, Lucy Dimmitt, Daisy Durfee, Annie Cox, Jennie McReynolds, Pet Mills, Mabel Roberts, Hattie Turner, Eva Williams, Lizzie Ebert, Mamie Lewis, Emma Davis, Mabel Durfee; Frank Hamsher, Guy Lewis, Bain Walston, Charlie Housum, Harry Hamsher, Louie Kinney, Cloyd Gates, and Frank Noyes from Landaff, New Hampshire.

A Donation.

This morning Farmer Coltrin received a donation of four large beech nuts enclosed in a white envelope, addressed as follows: "Farmer Coltrin, care of REPUBLICAN office—Relicks from the Ould Sod." The donor is not known. The Farmer says he is glad to notice that the beech nuts are large this year, for over in Injeany, where he came from, when they grew large it was always a reliable indication that all kinds of crops would be big, and that the number of cases of chills and fever would be largely decreased. Indiana people won't go hungry this year. Beechnuts will be plentiful.

A $60,000 Transfer.

Col. R. B. Latham has sold his farm of a little over 400 acres, lying just north of the P. D. & E. depot, near Lincoln, to Judge Foley, for$ 150 per acre, making the consideration a little over $60,000. The improvements on the land amount to very little, its chief value being on account of the proximity of the southern part of it to the city and because there is a probability that the coal underlying it may soon become available.

The Candidate that Got Left.

The "Bunglown" or some other equally obscure poet has warbled:

TO THE CANDIDATES.

Coriolanus, noble Roman,
Would not give the voters taffy;
Would not tell them they were brilliant;
Would not tell them they were valiant;
Would not kiss the Roman babies,
Said he'd see their dads in Hades
Before he'd kiss the dirty youngsters
Of a horde of swilling bumsters.
Said no office he would fawn for;
Said his togs he'd first pawn for
What he needed. No; he wouldn't
Give 'em taffy; no, he shouldn't.
Thus it was, the noble Roman—
Fearless, peerless Coriolanus—
Just as might have been expected,
Never came to be elected.

The moral is plain.

The Drama.

A fair-sized audience gave Mr. Fred. Warde and his excellent dramatic combination an enthusiastic greeting at the opera house last night, the chief star in the constellation of artists being twice called before the curtain, and Mr. Aveling, Miss Boyle and Mr. Sturgeon once. The play was John Banim's five-act drama "Damon and Pythias; or, The Test of Friendship," and when we say it was given with powerful effect, greater praise cannot be accorded the company. Mr. Warde, though suffering from a cold, was more than equal to the *role* of *Damon*. It did not afford him sufficient scope for a full display of his enviable abilities as one the leading tragedians of the American stage. He was ably supported by Mr. Aveling who is also a favorite in Decatur, and by Mary Davenport as *Hermion*, Miss Boyle as *Calanthe*, Mr. Rand as *Dionysius*, and John Curran as *Philistius*. The company will appear at Springfield to-night.

A Jail Break Episode.

It has been announced that young Frank Travis of Decatur, was arrested at Litchfield for burglary and larceny and lodged in the Montgomery county jail at Hillsboro. Thomas Lee was engaged as counsel by the prisoner's parents who reside here. There were four other prisoners in the jail with Frank. The other day the prisoners overpowered the keeper and escaped, and they are at large, all attemps to capture them having failed thus far. It appears that when the keeper entered the jail he was overpowered by the prisoners who told him that they intended to escape if they had to choke him to death, and that he must keep quiet. In his fright the jailer told the criminals to tie him securely before they left, and they did so.

O'Hern Discharged.

Thomas O'Hern, the Chicago horse buyer, arrested some time ago and jailed on a charge of obtaining $250 under false pretenses from Chas. M. Caldwell, was before Justice McGorray this forenoon. There being no one to appear as prosecuting witness against the accused he was discharged from custody. In all probability Mr. Caldwell has received his money.

No Sunday Market.

We forage the seaside, mountains, and the tropics to serve our patrons six days in the week, but must beg to be released from further Sunday markets.

Saturday meat for Sunday dinner
Rests the butcher and saves the sinner;
But Sunday work in winter season
Is need for none and out of reason.
So, Saturday night, please heed the warning,
We close our doors till Monday morning.

d1f IMBODEN BROS.

Lincoln *Herald*: Mr. Crocker, the Republican nominee for Representative from Macon county, is making the acquaintance of our voters. He is one of the best citizens of the State, a substantial business man, a man of culture and brains, who will make one of the most practical and useful members of the next legislature, to which he is certain to be elected.

MR. TOM BIVINS, the Kansas Land Excursion Agent, will run another special excursion over the Wabash to points in Kansas and Missouri on Tuesday, Oct. 10th, and again on Tuesday, Oct. 24th. Round trip fare from Decatur, $15.00, tickets good for forty days, with stop over privileges. oct2-d&w3w

Masonic.

Special meeting of Macon Lodge No. 8, A. F. & A. M., this (Saturday) evening, for work in E. A. Degree.

By order of JOHN HATFIELD, W. M.
WM. HAMMER, Sec.

MARRIED.

In this city on Oct. 5, 1882, by Judge S. E. Green, MR. ALEXANDER MILLER and MISS SARAH E. DAVIS, both of this county.

WHY NOT?

A Motion From Southern Illinois on the State Fair Question.

We have received a copy of the *Farmer and Fruit Grower* of Southern Illinois, published at Anna, Union county. It contains the following marked article concerning the permanent location of the state fair:

The State Agricultural Board is a ring institution that is run in the interest of a few individuals. The state fair should be permanently located at Decatur or Bloomington, and all the farmers from the south as well as from the centre of the state should have a fair showing, and make it a benefit to the state. It is now run to put money in the pockets of a few who have fastened themselves on the state board. We are opposed to the state appropriating another cent to the board until it is conducted in a better manner. Southern Illinois is the best portion of this great state, and yet the Board of Agriculture treats us as barbarians, and run the state fair in the interest of a few. If the state board is still run by the same old "machine" let Decatur or Bloomington get up a state fair under its own management, and Southern Illinois will join in making it an exhibition worthy of our great state.

If the above is a correct expression of the feelings of the people of Southern Illinois on the question, they are certainly considerably disgusted with the management of former state fair managers and ache for a change that will give them a chance to reach a state fair. Decatur is about as near the geographical centre of Illinois as any city of her size, and the railroad facilities cannot be excelled. The matter of locating the state fair for the next two years will come up before the state agricultural board in due time. The members of the body should heed the cry from Egypt and keep their eyes centred upon Decatur as an available point to hold *all* future state fairs.

PERSONAL MENTION

Hon. Jason Rogers and Chas. Carcins, Esq., will speak at Elwin this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cloyd arrived home this morning from Lexington, Ky.

A. R. Arbuckle, of the Chicago *Times* departed northward this morning.

Walter F. Colladay is traveling in the interest of the A. Wait & Co., wholesale house.

Miss Cora Ewing, of Streator, Ill., is a guest of Mr. Grady and family on East Main street.

A. C. Cormnan has been confined to his bed with an attack of lung fever since last Saturday.

Miss Maggie Cloyd, who has been visiting relatives in Lexington, Ky., for over a month, returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Murphey arrived home last evening, after a week's stay in Chicago.

George P. Hardy, candidate for county clerk, accompanied Capt. Rowell to Blue Mound and Macon, yesterday.

Harry Crea is in the city. He will probably spend the winter at Louisville, Kentucky.

Miss Lillie A. Brown is in St. Louis, the guest of Rev. Joseph DeForest and family. She has been absent all week.

Mrs. ex-Gov. Routt, of Denver, Col., arrived in the city last evening from Boston, Mass.

Theo. A. Gehrmann returned to the city last evening from a business trip to Cincinnati.

J. A. Close departed for Albion, N. Y., last night being notified by telegraph of the failing health of his father, now in the 89th year of his age.

Mrs. Adolphus Post, of Angelica, N. Y., is in the city visiting her father, Capt. J. S. Post, and other relatives. She will remain here about six weeks.

Bloomington *Leader*: George Yates, the colored law student who died on Tuesday, in the Jacksonville asylum, was at one time a waiter in the Ashley House dining-room, and a very good one.

Capt. Joab Wilkinson is in town to-day. He says he accepts the situation, and will support the Republican ticket; believing that the *sober*, second thought is always the best.

A. T. Summers departed for Lincoln this afternoon, and will return home Monday accompanied by his wife and that dear boy, who has been named Charles Pegram Summers.

W. S. Rose, who recently started west on a bicycle, has arrived at Cheyenne and concluded not to attempt to go any farther on the wheel. The distance traveled was 1400 miles. He fears the dangers of the Rocky Mountains, else he would proceed on to San Francisco.

A. Milton Lapham, a former photographer of Decatur, is in the city on a short visit, and paid us a call to-day. Mr. Lapham's home is at Springfield, Mo., where he is in the real estate business. The twins—a boy and a girl—are now past 5 months old and fat and hearty.

J. B. Gleason, of Milam township, who is now in the 76th year of his age and is yet hale and hearty, arrived in Decatur last night from St. Louis, where he attended the big fair this week. He says he just managed to squeeze through the jam, and is glad he will soon be in the full enjoyments of the comforts of home life.

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Receipts.	*Shipments.*	*Car Lots.*
WHEAT 122,725	105,003	204
CORN.... 67,235	104,505	125
OATS 89,888	70,840	94
RYE.... 22,467	6,820	36

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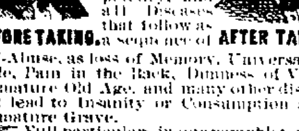

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In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D. 1882.
Nathan Noecker vs. Catherine D. Noecker—In Chancery.
NOTICE is hereby given to said Catherine D. Noecker that the above-named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said Catherine D. Noecker, above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of said court, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1882, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
OUTTEN & VAIL, Complainant's Solicitors.
Sept. 7-d4w*

The Daily Republican.

SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Macon County.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }
SEPT. REGULAR TERM 1882.

Board of Supervisors of Macon County, in regular session, pursuant to law for the transaction of County business, at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said County, on Tuesday the 12th day of September A. D. 1882.

Hon. A. T. Hill in the chair.

Present—H. W. Waggoner, clerk, W. W. Foster, sheriff.

Court opened by proclamation.

Present—Supervisors Clark, Childs, Davis, Evans, Freeman, Funk, Garver, Hays, Hoyt, Johnson, Michl, McReynolds, Mahannah, Rosengrants, Turner, VanLeer and VanGundy.

Absent—Suprs Manecke and Ward.

The proceedings of July meeting read and approved.

Hon. C. A. Ewing, on behalf of the committee, appointed by the Macon county agricultural society appeared before the board, and made a statement in regard to the financial condition of the society and suggested the propriety of the county to deeding the property back to the society and asking the board to appoint a committee to confer with the committee of the society.

On motion of Supr McReynolds that a committee of five be appointed by the chair to confer with said committee of the society and to report their action to this board.

The chair appointed Supr. McReynolds, Hoyt, Childs, VanLeer and Turner.

A communication from Isaac R. Hitt, state agent was read and placed on file, and finance committee instructed to look after the matters suggested in said communication, and to report at the present meeting of this board.

Supr. Hoyt offered the following which was adopted:

Resolved, by the board of supervisors that the delinquent road tax returned from the different towns, to the board, be and the same is hereby levied upon the taxable unpaid property of the several towns so returning.

The special committee appointed to superintend the building of bridges in the town of Austin, made the following report which was adopted:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors:

Your committee appointed at the December meeting to act with the commissioner of highways of Austin township would beg leave to make the following report. The bridges specified in the petition presented to the board at that meeting have all been built in a good substantial manner, of good oak material, one bridge 40 ft long, 14 ft wide the other three 42 ft long, each, and 16 ft wide at a cost of $895.50. And your committee would recommend that an order be drawn in favor of said town for the sum of three hundred dollars, that being the amount appropriated.

JOHN MARSH,
J. S. CHILDS.

On motion of Supr. VanLeer, the chairman of the judiciary committee act with the County Superintendent of Schools in regard to the collection of the note executed by A. A. Murray, and payable to the school fund of the county, and that attorney commence suit at the next term of the circuit court to collect said notes.

W. C. Johns, county attorney for Macon county, appeared before the board and made a statement in regard to the disposition of the case of Macon county against Christian county for costs in the case of the People vs. Crafton, charged with murder, upon which he took a change of venue to this county, the cost in the case the board of supervisors of Christian county refused to pay, but made and agreed case and went before Judge Zane of Springfield, who decided in favor of Christian county.

On motion of Supr. Ward that the county attorney take the case to the appellate court upon a writ of error.

On motion of Supr. Hoyt the Board adjourned until 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Hon. A. T. Hill in the chair.

Court opened by proclamation.

Present Suprs. Clark, Childs, Davis, Evans, Freeman, Garver, Funk, Hays, Hoyt, Johnson, Michl, McReynolds, Mahannah, Manecke, Rosengrants, Turner, VanLeer, VanGundy and Ward.

The reading of yesterday proceedings dispensed with.

A petition from the commissioner of highways of the town of Long Creek was read, asking for an appropriation of three hundred and thirty-three dollars to said town in repairing the grade and trestle work at the cow ford bridge across the Sangamon river.

On motion the same was referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

A communication from the Board of Trade Telegraph Company of Chicago, asking permission to construct a line of telegraph over some line of highway in the county, was read and referred to the committee on road and bridges.

The finance committee to whom was referred the communication from Isaac R. Hitt, state agent, made the following report which was adopted

To the Hon, Board of Supr of Macon county.

We your finance committee report that they think it would be advisable for this board to pass a resolution, setting apart the swamp land indemnity to be received by the county, for the purpose of drainage, and send a certified copy of the same to Isaac R. Hitt, state agent.

B. O. McREYNOLDS,
J. S. CHILDS,
R. W. CLARK,
C. A. TURNER,
HIRAM WARD.

The minority of the special committee appointed to confer with a committee from the Macon County Agricultural society made the following report.

To the Hon. Board of Suprs. of Macon Co. Ill

We your committee appointed to confer with a committee of the Macon County Agricultural Board, report that after a conference with said committee, they find it the desire of said board to have this county deed them the ground upon which they hold their annual fair, and they then propose to issue stock to raise money with which to fix up the grounds and carry on the fair annually. We your committee recommend that the grounds be deeded to them for the purpose of holding an agricultural art fair and cattle show annually, and upon their failure to hold such annual fairs, that the grounds revert back to Macon county, unless such failure should be on account of some inevitable disaster that could not be foreseen or avoided, such as entire failure of crops, wars, disease, or destruction of the buildings by fire or wind.

B. O. McREYNOLDS,
J. N. HOYT.

We the majority of your special committee except as to the recommendation in the report of the minority of the committee

W. A. VANLEER,
CHAS. A. TURNER,
J. S. CHILDS.

On motion of Supr McReynolds that minority committees report be adopted.

Supr. Garver offered an amendment that the matter be laid over until the December meeting of this board.

Mr. Weeden C. Smith appeared before the board and made a statement, that in the year 1872, he was collector of the town of Mt. Zion, and while in the discharge of his duty as such collector, he was enjoyned from the collection of the township collection of the township interest tax, in connection with R. H. Park, then county treasurer, and that the costs of the case were by the court adjudged against them.

He therefore asks that the county relieve them from the payment of the same as they were only made parties defendants by virtue of their offices and should not be made to suffer thereby.

On motion the matter was referred to the judiciary committee.

Supr McReynolds offered the following which was adopted:

Resolved, by the board of Suprs of the Macon County Illinois, that whatever amount of monies or land scrip that may be received by this county from the General Government as an indemnity for their swamp lands, shall be used for drainage purposes in this county.

On motion of Supr Ward, that the board of supervisors of the county visit the poor farm in a body on Friday morning

Supr. Van Leer offered the following which was adopted:

Whereas our county has lost 5944 acres of land under the last assessment in comparison with the assessment of 1881, and a similar discrepancy having existed for years in the acreage

Therefore be it resolved that the county clerk be and is hereby instructed to furnish this board with a correct acreage of the different townships to be used as a basis for equalization of taxes under future assessment, said list to be furnished not later than the March meeting of this board.

Petitioners from the commissioners of highways of the towns of Decatur and South Wheatland were read asking of this board for an appropriation out of the county treasury of fourteen hundred dollars to aid said towns in constructing the necessary grades and water ways at the "Maffitt" Bridge across the Sangamon River.

On motion the same were referred to the committee on road and bridges.

The committee on paupers and poor farm made the following report which was received and approved.

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors:

Your committee beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented to them and recommend the payment of the following and that the clerk be authorized to issue orders on the treasurer in payment for the same as follows:

To P Ruehsamen & Co, groceries for paupers, $55 25; G D Seiberling, same, $20 31; Young Bros, same, $138 53; Van Cleve & Masters, same, $15 36; J T Denton, same, $43 75; E A Stephens & Bro., same, $53 75; P. Ullrich, same, $63 75; John Dinneen, same, $36 10; F Skelly, same, $44 75; S G Washburn, same, $8 20; A G and V W Benton, same, $12 17; Wm. Neidermeyer, same, $22 00; H F May & Bro., same, $52 75; L M Gill, same, $18 75; John Schudel, same, $12 30; W H Reeme same, $ 14 25; D F Lewis, same, $52 50; D H Heilman, same, $62 25; Louis Koehler, same, $22 40; W J Myers, same, $33 00; Austin & Gault for medicine for paupers, $2 80; Smelz & Bennett same, $19 25; A J Stoner, same, $4 20; Axton Bros, $19 75; Linn & Scruggs for goods for paupers, $4 25; Roach & McReynolds, same, $10 50; Dunbar & Nichols, same, $8 99; K W Conn same, $13; J P Smith, same, $10 00; H B Smith, same, $8 80; Wm Erwin, same, $5 25; Barber & Baker for shoes for paupers, $3 00; Freeman Bros., same, $10 50; H Drummond for meat for paupers, $5 35; Lewis Danley, same, $11 46 no voucher, laid over; N W Northcutt same, $8 45; J L Hight for coal for paupers, $3 40; R McClellan, same, $78 40; Ellis & Williams, same, $2 45; W J Magee for services as steward of poor farm, $200 00; Ill. Indst School for Girls for tuition maintainance and care of Jennie West, $80 00; R A Newell for services as overseer of Poor of Decatur, $127 50; R A Newell for office rent for three months $15 not allowed; Wm T Piper for hauling coal and cobs for paupers $2 80; H S Ross same, 50 cts; Decatur National Bank for money advanced to ship paupers $26 43; Mrs E Adams for keeping paupers per contract 7-24 $14 50; S Lowe for keeping paupers per order of supervisor $3 42; J W Lowry, same, $37 9-; Peter Perl for coffins and burying paupers $67 50; Radcliff & Bullard for coffin for pauper, $3 00; C S Lewis, same, $8 00; Jennie Tisdale for rent of poor house to Oct. 7 '82 per contract $30 00; Sayler & Harsha, for medical attention to paupers $11 50; Wm Thompson, same, $11 75; E L Booth, same, $36; L Tozer, same, $17 50; J B C Phillips, same, $8 00; S C Ham same, $10 00; H N Clark, same $8 00; W J & C Chenoweth for removing large ovarian tumor from a child, $100 00; W H Sparling for medical attention to pauper, $10 00; J F Denatney, same, $12; W J Huff, same, $18 00; W Sturgess, same, $12 75; R Tobey same $15 allowed $12 55; J L Connelly; same, $21 50 allowed $20 50; W B Hostetler, same, $17 00 allowed $14 00; J C Hall, same, $11 50 $7 50; H J Weyl, same, $131 00 allowed $130 00; A Hawkyard for taking pauper to poor farm, $6 95; Sarah A Wheeler for keeping pauper per contract to Sept. 1, $16 25.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. N. HOYT, Chrm. Com.

Supr. Hoyt offered the following which was adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the chair for the purpose of contracting for coal for the coming year, for the court house, jail, poor house and paupers in Decatur township, and that they enter into a written contract with the parties with whom they contract.

The chair appointed Messrs Hoyt, Freeman and Van Leer.

The board appointed the following named persons to serve as judges of election for the different voting places in the town of Decatur for the coming year and the following places in each district.

First District—Judges, W J Wayne, D L Hughes, and J Q A Odor. Polls at Neptune Hose House No. three.

Second District—Judges, C M Durfee, Milburn Glore and Edward Hughes. Polls at Frank Hall's store under city offices.

Third District—Judges, M Troutman, Ichabod Baldwin and A Wait. Poll at Rescue Hose House No. One.

Fourth District—Judges, Fred Kuny, J N Bills and J L Peake. Polls at county clerk's office.

On motion of Supr McReynolds that the county clerk is hereby instructed to have records in his office resound, amendment offered by Supr. Freeman, and adopted by the board that the finance committee have said binding done.

The committee on fees and salaries made the following report which was adopted:

To the *Hon.* Board of Supr. of Macon county Illinois.

Your committee on fees and salaries of county officers, having under consideration the matter of fixing the same for four years, ending December 1st, 1886, would recommend the following:

To the county Judge, salary of $1,800 a year; To the county clerk, salary $1,800 a year, and necessary clerk hire; to the county treasury salary of $1,800 a year, and necessary clerk hire; to the county sheriff, salary of $1,800 and a year $1,000 for deputy sheriff; to the county coroner salary of $300 (a year; to the county Supt. of schools salary of 250 days for attending to his office and visiting schools.

Respectfully submitted.
CHAS. A. TURNER, }
JAMES FREEMAN, }
J R HAYS, } Com.
H N CLARK, }
JOS. MICHL, }

The Supt. of the poor farm made the following report which was approved and ordered filed:

To the *Hon.* Board of Suprs. of Macon county:

Your Supt. of Macon county poor farm, would beg leave to make the following financial report for the past quarter ending Sept. 12, 1882.

To amt. on hand at last report		$ 6 94
" " rec'd for sale of hogs, oats, corn old iron &c		641 70
Cr.		$648 64
By amt out for supplies, board of hands &c	$344 20	
" " of balance on hand	304 44	648 64

All of which is respectfully submitted.

V. BARBER, Supt.

The steward of the poor farm submitted his report of the number of persons received and discharged since last report.

Remaining at last report 25, received since last report 20, born 1, discharged 25, remaining at this date 27 W. J. MAGEE, Steward.

On motion of Supr. Manecke the board adjourned until 9:30 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, Hon. A. T. *Hill* in the chair.

Court opened by proclamation.

Present Suprs. Clark, Childs, Davis, Evans, Freeman, Garver, Funk, *Hays*, *Hoyt*, Johnson, Michl, McReynolds, Mahannah, Rosengrants, Turner, Van Leer Van Gundy and Ward.

Absent, Supr Manecke.

The reading of yesterdays proceedings dispensed with.

The finance committee made the following report which was received and adopted.

To the *Hon.* Board of Suprs. Macon county:

Your committee on finance report that they have examined the statement of G. M. Wood county treasurer and find it correct and we have cancelled county orders and jurors certificates and distroyed same by burning, and we find the financial condition of the county to be as follows:

To amt. in treasury Dec. 1, 1881		$29,809 27
" " of W. C. Johns on Judgement vs. Christian Co		98 90
To amt. of A. T. *Hill* returned on funeral expenses		8 00
To amt. J. Freeman rebate on cancelled Ins. county farm		19 00
To amt. of B. O. McReynolds Insurance on county building		7,546 40
To amt. of S. Mahannah returned on order issued as Supr.		8 70
To amt. of F. Priest Int. on notes to July 1, 1882		120 00
To amt of revenue of year 1881		33,366 42
Contra		$70,976 75
By forfeitures abatements, double assessments &c.	$383 09	
By Comm's. allowed town collectors	494 87	
By Comm's. allowed county collectors	157 34	
By amt. of county orders and jury witnesses paid	32,458 41	
By amt. of cash in treasury Sept. 1 1882	$30,082 44	$70,976 75

Respectfully submitted.
B O McREYNOLDS, }
H N CLARK, }
C A TURNER, } Com.
J S CHILDS. }

Mr. Volney Barber, superintendent of the poor farm, presented his bond in the penal sum of one thousand dollars, for the faithful discharge of his duties as such superintendent with Jas. Millikin and John Ullrich as securities thereon, which was approved by the board.

The committee on roads and bridges made the following report, which was adopted;

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Macon county, Ills.—

Your committee to whom was referred the communication from the Board of Trade telegraph company, asking that the county board grant said company the right to establish a telegraph line upon some public highway as said company may desire, after a careful consideration, would beg leave to report against the prayer of petitioners.

HIRAM WARD,
JOHN JOHNSTON,
S. C. DAVIS,
W. J. EVANS.

Supr. McReynolds offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, By this board, that the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars be levied and extended as a tax on the real and personal property of this county for general county purposes for the year 1882.

The following named persons were selected by the board to serve as grand jurors at the December term of the Macon county circuit court, to be held on the first Monday in December, 1882.

Geo. Nebinger, A. W. Hardy, James Fowler, Julius H. Randall, Decatur; A. B. Camp, Wm. Davis, Long Creek; Jos. C. Tucker, Illini; Robt. Morris, Austin; John B. Becket, Pleasant View; Jacob Haines, Hickory Point; Christian Rugh, Blue Mound; James Lichtenberger, Whitmore; Clarence Naftel, Milam; Patrick Graham, Niantic; Isaac Peeper, J. D. Hemphill, Macon; Robert D. Wilson, Mt. Zion; A. A. Smith, Wheatland; Wm. Nickey, Oakley; Anthony Stoutenborough, Bazil Cooper, Maroa; Wm. Armstrong, Friends Creek; Alfred W. Allen, Harristown.

The judiciary committee made the following report, which was adopted:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors:—

Your committee to whom was referred the injunction case against Weeden C. Smith, collector of Mt. Zion in 1873, and which resulted in a judgment against him for cost, beg leave to report that after investigation we your committee are of the opinion that the county is not responsible for said costs.

C. H. GARVER,
JOHN VAN GUNDY,
W. J. EVANS.

Supr. Ward offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the aggregate amount of charges audited and allowed by the boards of town auditors of the several towns of the county, and the rates certified by said boards necessary for the making and repairing of roads and bridges and defraying town expenses in them respectively, and now laid before this board, be and the same are levied upon the taxable property of the town so auditing, at the amounts and rates following:

Decatur, am't required for roads	$ 2,642
" roads and bridges	8,200
" town purposes	3,000
Harristown, town purposes	1,800
" roads and bridges	1,000
H. Point, roads and bridges	1,500
" town purposes, 5c on the $100.	
Macon, town purposes	300
" roads and bridges	1,000
P. View, roads and bridges	680
" town purposes	150
S. Wheatland, town purposes	200
" roads and bridges	1,700
Milam, roads and bridges	600
" town purposes	75
B. Mound, town purposes	150
" roads and bridges	1,000
Whitmore, roads and bridges	430
" town purposes, 5c on the $100.	
Long Creek, town purposes	200
" roads and bridges	1,200
Niantic, roads and bridges	600
" town purposes	100
Mt. Zion, town purposes	4,200
" roads, 10c on the $100	
" roads and bridges	1,000
Maroa, roads and bridges	1,000
Austin, roads and bridges	1,000
Friends Creek, roads and bridges	1,200
Oakley, roads and bridges	600
Illini, roads and bridges, 40c on the $100.	

Supr VanLeer offered the following, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, There is a large amount of fee bills in the different county offices due the county and unpaid; therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to investigate in regard to the matter, and make a report at the December meeting of the board.

The chair appointed VanLeer, McReynolds and Clark as the committee.

The committee on miscellaneous claims made the following report, which was adopted:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors:—

Your committee beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented to them and recommend the payment of the following, and that the clerk issue orders on the treasurer in payment of the same:

Z. W. Harris, for services as bailiff, $20, J. G Armstrong do $5, H. Churchman do $12.50, J. McWhinney do $17.50, A. M. Stoker do $32.50, W. L. Hammer do $32.50, J. S. Leigh do $7.50, Saml. Weitzel do $25, S. S. Jack, printing for county, $12.50, Illinois Printing company, records and blanks for county, $135.25, Culver, Page, Hoyne & Co., do $7.20, Geo. D. Barnard & Co., do $49, H. Ward, serving on committee, $3.40, J. Freeman do $20, A. T. Hill do $7.50, J. S. Childs do $4, J. N. Hoyt do, $5.80, Wm. W. Foster, boarding, washing, receiving and discharging prisoners, $917.50, John Dinneen, services as coroner, $22.50, Thos. Lee, services in case of application to send Bertha Bird to the Industrial School for girls, $10, J. S. Hewes, services in arresting Chas. Williams, a thief, $19.60, C. C. Crandall, fee in a criminal case $3.50, not allowed, M. P. Funk, money advanced for county, $1.40, Peter Perl, serving on coroner's jury, $1, also one dollar each to the following persons: Edward Grubel, G Lake, D. L. Allen, T. Vestal, John Yocum, H. Mitchell, J. A. Young, A. Kramer, J. W. Tyler, J. H. Gragg, T. M. Tucker, Henry Flood, A. V. Coocy, M. W. Bishop, L. C. Davis, G. H. Linhart, F. Miller.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

H. MANECKE, Ch'm'n Com.

The committee on public buildings made the following report, which was adopted:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors—

Your committee beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented to them and recommend the payment of the following, and that the clerk issue orders on the treasurer in payment of the same:

Abel & Locke, for goods for court house and jail, $21.75; Decatur Gas Co., for gas for court house and jail, $34.86; R. A. Wilkinson, services as night watch at court house, $6; Korsmeyer & O'Neil, repairing hose, etc., at jail, $3.70; D. S. Shellabarger & Co., weighing coal for jail and court house, $9.90; Decatur Furniture Co., load of kindling for jail and court house, $1.50; J. W. Carter, services as court house janitor, $112.50; city of Decatur, water for court house, jail and poor house, $22.50.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES FREEMAN, Chairman Com.

The finance committee made the following report, which was adopted:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors; We, your finance committee, beg leave to report that we have examined the report of John Trainer, County Supt. of Schools, and have found it correct. Respectfully submitted.

B. O. McREYNOLDS,
C. N. CLARK,
J. S. CHILDS,
CHAS. A. TURNER,
Committee.

The committee on roads and bridges made the following report, which was adopted upon call of ayes and nays:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Macon county, Ill.: Your committee on roads and bridges, to whom was referred, asking for an appropriation of six hundred dollars in aid of the construction of the Maffit bridge in said township, would beg leave to make the following report: That the county pay one-half of the money expended in contracting said grade, provided the total cost of construction does not exceed nine hundred dollars—no money to be paid by the county until said work is completed and certified by a committee of this board.

HIRAM WARD,
W. J. EVANS,
H. MANECKE,
JOHN JOHNSTON,
S. C. DAVIS,
Committee.

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Clark, Davis, Freeman, Johnston, Michl, McReynolds, Mahannah, Rosengrants, Ward, and Mr. Chairman—10. Those voting in the negative were Messrs. Childs, Garver, Funk, Hays, Hoyt, Turner, Van Leer and Van Gundy—8.

On motion of Supr. Ward that a committee of two members of this board be appointed to act in conjunction with the commissioners of highways of said town in building said grade.

The chair appointed Supr. Ward and Mahannah said committee.

The committee on roads and bridges made the following report, which was adopted upon call of ayes and nays:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Macon county;

Your committee on roads and bridges, to whom the petition was referred asking for an appropriation of $800 to aid in constructing a grade in said township, on the road leading east and southeast from Maffit's bridge across the Sangamon river, would beg leave to recommend the following: That one half of the costs be paid by the county, the total costs of said grade not to exceed $1200; no money to be paid until the work is complete and so certified by the committee appointed by the Board.

HIRAM WARD,
H. MANECKE,
JOHN JOHNSON,
W. J. EVANS,
S. C. DAVIS,
Committee.

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Clark, Davis, Freeman, Hoyt, Johnson, Michl, McReynolds, Mahannah, Rosengrantz, Van Leer, Ward and Chairman—yeas 12. Those voting in the negative were Childs, Garver, Funk, Hays, Turner and VanGundy—nays 6

On motion of Supr. Ward that a committee of two members of the Board be appointed to act with the commissioner of highways of said town in constructing said grade.

The chair appointed Suprs. Ward and Manecke as said committee.

The committee on roads and bridges made the following report, which was adopted upon call of ayes and nays:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Macon county, Ill.: Your committee on roads and bridges, to whom the petition from the commissioners of highways of the town of Long Creek was referred, asking for an appropriation of three hundred and thirty-three dollars to aid in repairing the grading and trestling across the river bottom at the "Cow Ford Bridge," in said township, would beg leave to make the following report: We recommend that one-third of the amount necessary to repair said work be paid out of the county treasury, provided the entire cost does not exceed nine hundred dollars; no money to be paid until said work is completed and certified by the committee appointed by this board.

Respectfully submitted. HIRAM WARD,
JOHN JOHNSTON,
W. J. EVANS,
H. MANECKE,
S. C. DAVIS.

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Clark, Davis, Freeman, Hays, Hoyt, Johnston, Michl, McReynolds, Manecke, Rosengrants, Ward, and Mr. Chairman—12. Those voting in the negative were Messrs. Childs, Garver, Funk, Turner, Van Leer and Van Gundy—6.

On motion of Supr. Davis that a committee of this board be appointed to act with the commissioners of highways of said town in constructing said grade and trestle work.

The chair appointed Suprs. Davis and Garver said committee.

On motion of Supr. Freeman the board adjourned until 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, Hon. A. T. Hill in the chair.

Court opened by proclamation.

Present—Suprs. Davis, Evans, Freeman, Garver, Funk, Hays, Hoyt, Johnston, Michl, McReynolds, Manecke, Rosengrants, Van Gundy and Ward. Absent—Suprs. Clark, Childs, Manecke, Turner and Van Leer.

The reading of yesterday's proceedings dispensed with.

Supr. Ward offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the clerk of this board be instructed to draw orders on the treasurer for amounts of the various appropriations made by this board in aiding in the several towns to make grades and trestle work at bridges across the Sangamon river, when the committee appointed by this board to superintend the construction of the same certify that the work has been completed and accepted by them.

The members of the board, in accordance with a resolution adopted on Wednesday last, to visit the Poor Farm in a body this forenoon, now proceed to make such visit, and for that purpose this board stands adjourned until half past one o'clock this afternoon.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Hon. A. T. Hill in the chair.

Present, same as forenoon.

The board having returned from the Poor Farm, all expressed themselves as being well satisfied with the building as far as it has progressed.

The committee on fees and salaries reported upon the following claims and recommend the payment of the same:

S. F. Greer, salary as County Judge for third quarter of 1882, $450 00; W. W. Foster, balance of salary and clerk hire to Aug. 31, 1882, $265 20; H. W. Waggoner, services as clerk of court, $187.50; John Trainer, services as Co. Supt. of Schools, $100. C. A. TURNER, Chairman Com.

Amount allowed as per diem and mileage of members of the Board of Supervisors, $222 60.

On motion of Supr. Ward the board adjourned to the first Monday in December, 1882, at 1½ o'clock p. m. H. W. WAGGONER, Clerk.

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Martha Cook vs. Francis J. Cook—In chancery Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in the State of Illinois of Francis J. Cook, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said defendant, Francis J. Cook, that the complainant in said cause, Martha Cook, has filed her bill of complaint in the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, on the chancery thereof against you, the said defendant, to the December term of said court, 1882. That a summons in said cause has been issued against you, the said defendant, returnable at the court house, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the first Monday in the month of December, 1882, as is by law required, and that said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court. And unless you, the said defendant, shall be and appear before said court on the first day of the next December thereof, 1882, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer thereof.

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